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# THE OYEN NEWS

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## In Buying a Victory Bond

You Help to Protect Your Family,  
your Nation, your Future and that of  
your Children—and you receive Pay  
for doing it!

This Space Paid For By

**P. W. HART**

## TREWIN BROTHERS

Draying and Carting

Charges Reasonable.

Oyen, Alta.

## Attention!

Put Your Money  
Each DOLLAR must do its  
Duty.

The Country ask you for a  
Loan and Pays 5 1-2  
per cent annually for  
your Money.

Put Your Money To Work.

Buy a VICTORY LOAN

This Space Given By

## Acheson Hardware

Opposite the Bank of Toronto

## The Oyen Hardware Company Ltd.

Air-o-lite Gasoline Lamps \$10.57 and \$11.50  
See our latest style Quicklight Alrolight

Coal Oil Lamps, Lanterns, Flash Lights, Batteries  
and Lamp Supplies

Lighter Day High Oyen Ranges Canada Nelson  
and Columbia Ranges

Coles Hot Blast, Alberta and Derby Oak Coal Heaters  
Stoves Pipes, Elbows, Dampers, etc.

Axles, Blowers, Vices, Tongs, Blacksmith Coal  
and Plow Supplies

Horse Blankets Sweat Pads Halters, etc.

Alladin Lamp Supplies now on hand  
Neverslip Horse Shoes, Neverslip Calks, Horse nails,  
Just Received

**Oyen Hardware Co., Ltd.**  
John Patterson, Managing Director.

## Canada's Monster Loan

### Oyen Organizes For The Big Campaign

A meeting was held in the Methodist church on Tuesday evening last, to appoint a committee who would be responsible to canvass the people and sell Victory Bonds, commencing Monday, November 12th. Mr. J. J. Kelly was elected chairman. Mr. J. A. McColl, M.L.A., and Mr. Arden of Calgary outlined the object of raising this money and urged the committee to impress upon everyone the need of their support as subscribers.

The business men present volunteered to help in every way possible, a good many of them giving up their advertising space in the local paper, to be used for advertising VICTORY BONDS. Two full page advertisements were donated by C. P. Johnston, Clothier, and J. Howard Alexander. Not that, but every merchant in Oyen has given one window to the committee to be used for displaying Victory Bond placards.

Oyen and district has to raise \$75,000, and committee desire everyone to support this Loan, so they will not fail to raise the allotted sum. The Committee are now touring the district, and expect you to do your "bit" by subscribing. You are getting good interest for your money and at the same time you are helping to win the war.

The committee has an office next door to the post office which will be opened daily, where subscriptions to the War Loan will be received.

The following article gives full details of the VICTORY LOAN:—

Sir Thomas White, minister of finance, has announced the particulars and terms of Canada's Victory loan as follows: Interest Subscription books will be opened on Monday, November 12th, at 10 o'clock, and will run for one year, as follows: \$500,000,000 in 10 denominations, as low as \$100. The loan is to be repaid by 100 cents on the dollar, for 5% cent bonds, with the privilege of spreading the payments over a period of five months in monthly instalments. In view of this privilege, and as a full six months' interest will be paid the purchasers on June 1, 1918, the bonus of interest thus allowed will reduce the price, so that the bonds yield the investor 5.61 per cent, on the 20 year bonds, 5.68 on the 10 year bonds, and 5.81 per cent, on the 5-year bonds. This loan will carry conversion privileges into future issues, and will be free of any present or future Dominion taxes—including income tax.

Holders of Dominion of Canada debenture stock, October 1, 1910, and of bonds of the three preceding Dominion of Canada war loan issues, have the privilege of surrendering their bonds in part payment for subscriptions to bonds of this issue, under the following conditions:

Debenture stock, due October 1, 1919, at par and accrued interest.

War loan bonds, due December 1, 1925, at 97½ and accrued interest.

The two foregoing will be accepted in part payment for bonds of any of the three maturities of this issue.

War loan bonds, due October 31, 1931, at 97½ and accrued interest.

War loan bonds, due March 1, 1937, at 90 and accrued interest.

These will be accepted in part payment for bonds of the 1937 maturity only of this issue.

F. C. McClean, J. Robinson assisted by the military representative, Mr. Fife of Benton, started on Thursday to consider oral examinations; the board attend to the applications of twenty five men each day and from Monday's report it is thought that about twenty percent of the men were not granted their freedom from the service act. J. Howard Alexander has given the use of his office to the board.

Mrs. Stanley Cunningham, E. Booth and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Herron, of Sibbald, were Oyen visitors yesterday.

The threshermen are busy during this fine weather, threshing the late oats and flax.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Shunn have left their farm near town and are now living in Sibbald.

Have you bought a bond?

### May Issues Warrant For King's Apprehension

Don May, the manager of the Acheson Hardware store, received a message from Alaska friends that his farm tenant, Howard J. King, has driven a horse into town and it had been in the barn for nearly a week. Mr. May went to Alaska and found that the tenant had disposed of stock, wheat and other property. The provincial police now have the case in hand and to date no trace of the man can be found. Mr. May's loss is in the neighborhood of \$2000.

A five franc note can be purchased for one dollar at the Bank of Hamilton. Send it to your soldier boy at the front, so that he can buy the little comforts which are obtainable close behind the firing line.

## Buy Your BOND

Its a Good Buy for You

and

Good-bye for The Kaiser!

This Space Donated by

**S. A. Miller & Co.**

## Conscription

If you are drafted and have a farm you wish to sell let us have a listing, or let us have your price and terms. We have buyers who are anxious to get located in Alberta.

**J. HOWARD ALEXANDER,**

Business Broker & Notary Public,

Main Street,

Oyen, Alta.

## The New Meat Market

Next door to the Delicatessen

Fresh, Salted and Smoked Meats  
Best prices paid for Hides

**C. E. BEARD**

## Notice to Farmers

The management of the

### Alberta Livery Barn

Have decided to open their new barn for stabling purposes only at 15 cts per team the farmer to supply his own feed.

The main barn will be run as usual.

**A. GIBSON**

Proprietor

McGraw-Hill Book Co., Limited  
CANADA  
MONTREAL, WINNIPEG and VANCOUVER.

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THE OYEN NEWS  
OYEN, ALBERTA.

Wednesday, November 14.

1918 in 1863

It is a matter of record in United States history that 1863 is the year of the great Civil War with Robert Lee, at that time, in command of the Confederate army, and in 1863, the year of the necessary force.

Since Lincoln is regarded as one of the greatest statesmen this continent has produced, it is instructive at the present time of Canadian history, to see how he dealt with the problems that arose.

The President was warned that grave disorders might follow the enforcement of the conscription law, which it was argued, was in opposition to the constitutional privileges and liberties of the citizen.

Lincoln took the ground that if conscription is a necessary evil, it is in the hands of a republic, and he decided on the firm enforcement of the law. All opposition was firmly suppressed.

On entering the present state of the United States, profited by past experience and promptly adopted compulsory service.

Now that Canada has adopted a similar course she is in a better position to do her share and though opposition is unlooked for, progressive measures are provided in the Act.

## Local Items

Some fine weather!

The regular meeting of the Red Cross Society will be held at the home of Mrs. R. E. Kelly on tomorrow afternoon.

Miss Brown returned this morning from a three weeks' visit in England.

When writing to the front, enclose some stationery as often as the boys wish to write when in the front, no writing material can be obtained unless they are near the Y. M. C. A.

The Cusko Square entertainers will perform here on November 23rd. The profits will be for the benefit of the Red Cross.

Soldiers give their lives. Officers lend their money. Buy Victory Bonds.

"The Isle of Dreams," an Irish musical comedy will be staged in Oyen's new opera house on Thursday night.

Cricket has enrolled in one of the military vocational schools in Calgary.

Robert Smith is the secretary of the local Victory Loan campaign and he may be found at headquarters next to the post office.

The third number of the Central "Gazette" came to hand this week. Since the "Review" ceased publishing, some of the local people started putting out a typewritten paper which will furnish the boys at the front with the Central items.

Fern Perry, of St. Paul, was in town today.

Relatives of Private Chester Tomper have not received any further information as to his condition.

Subscribe to the Victory War Loan and The Oyen News.

## Levick-Hurley

At the home of Mr. Levick-Hurley, on Tuesday, November 13th, William, Newton, Levick and Mary Elizabeth Hurley were united in marriage by the Rev. E. D. Webster.

## Excel News Items

Masses, J. Baron, R. Baron, H. Runnings and R. Runnings, returned to North Battleford. They returned on Sunday.

Jack Norton returned from Pinckney and expects to commence road work immediately.

Over-indulgence of spiritual beverages is thought to be the cause of the practical jokes that were played here last Saturday night. A second occurrence of this disgraceful conduct will not be passed on lightly.

Victory Bonds pave the way to Berlin.

Miss Iva May Anderson was the recipient of many nice presents on her 22nd birthday, Nov. 3rd.

The numerous friends of Miss Madeuthner to surprise her on last Monday evening. The active part she has taken in the Red Cross work won the admiration of all and it was with regret that they bade her farewell.

Buy a Baby Victory Bond for Baby. Have you bought yours?

Miss Iva M. Anderson spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Anderson.

## Behind the Front Lines

I guess that you have thought many times that I am about the oddest creature alive. I must apologize for not writing to you before. Time slides by so fast that I scarcely realize how long a time it really is since I left Canada. We have been here a considerable time and are still stationed at a sort of a base. Most of the company is doing construction work and some of the troops are employed. I am looking after a tent at present. I do not know whether I shall continue taking care and working there when we get to our own camp or not.

I signed up as an engineer but there does not seem to be much chance of getting a job of that sort. We are a distance back of the front and if we get started, we will probably remain there quite a while. However one can never tell what is going to happen. We may be sent up to the line to reinforce some company, which has suffered losses. The forestry and construction work, which is going on behind the lines is no pinch. They are often shelled and raided by airplanes. I am not worrying about myself for then one gets to France, he becomes curious and wants to see what is going on at the front. We do not see much of it here. Some French soldiers pass occasionally and some times on a quiet day, we hear dull rumbling of the large guns.

As we moved thru towns on our way here, we saw a great many German prisoners at work; they do not look like an overly smart bunch but most of them are rugged and strongly built. Considerable interest is shown at the arrival of U. S. troops. I saw many of them and was impressed by the neatness and smart appearance of their equipment. I believe they will give us good account of themselves as any troops that have come to France.

You would be very much interested in traveling thru this country and observing method of the peasants. It would seem that they have not made any progress in farming in the last hundred years. Very few have horses and there is scarcely any machinery. They live in old stone houses and the live stock and the owners usually live under the same roof.

We were paid last night. I left this letter unfinished to get my pay. We only receive forty francs per month when in

## Average Percentage

Grade N. Vivian Wilson 70, Gladys Walker 51, Grade VIII: Gladys Walker 51, Birdie Crockett 67, Bertha Oyen 75, Louise Bennett 51. Grade VII: Evelyn Confare 42, Gladys White 75, Louise Charbonneau 58, Laura Walker 30, Ruth Walker 43, Myrtle McDonald 60, Harriet Peterson 72. Grade VI: Jean Alexander 51, A. Johnston 75, Dean Walters 32, Lilian Woods 62, Thelma Woods 48, Mina Oyen 66.—The Oyen School.

Nearly thirteen thousand dollars was realized locally on Monday, the first days sale of Victory Bonds.

France and a franc is worth about 20c. The French money has depreciated in value some on account of the war. There is quite a lot of fruit in this part of the country that can be bought fairly cheap, such as plums, pears, grapes and apples. I have had some pretty good heads of black and raspberries. Did you go to the Red Deer for cakelooks this summer? Well I suppose you will write me all the Excel news and about yourself and relatives. I have not anything more to write about now so will close, hoping that you receive this letter soon and that I hear from you before long.

Your friend,

J. C.

31 Cox, Canadian Forestry

B. E. F. Franco

CLASSIFIED ADS.

IMPROVED FARM SNAP west half

Section 1524, west of 4th meridian,

Oyen district, improved, with well

90 feet deep. For particulars see or

write owner at 311 Third Avenue,

Saskatoon, Sask.

FOR SALE—A good Organ, in first

class condition. Price and terms

apply News Office.

SNAP—In Oyen, land a good half

section, 16 miles north of Lethbridge,

100 acres, ready for crop. Apply

M. J. McKay, Lethbridge.

Lost—Dark brown wolf hand answers

to the name of Bruce. Finder please

return to Chas. P. Snyder and re-

ceive reward.

FOR SALE—Chevrolet 400 Roadster

just overhauled in A. J. Shaw, non-

old tires on rear, also one extra tire

A. H. Corless Empire Lumber yard.

FOR SALE 18 Young Pigs. For

Price see H. Cunningham, 330 4.

Palmer.

FOR SALE—horse, buggy and harness.

Price reasonable. Apply to

Mrs. Toss, Holliston, Oyen.

TO RENT—two room shack on sec-

ond avenue. Box 147, Oyen.

## Found Notice

Notice is hereby given under Section

21 of the Provincial Ordinance,

that one Bay Mare, white face, white

feet, age 3, branded g on right hip,

Was impounded in the Pound kept by

the undersigned on the N. E. Section

16-26-5 west of 4th the 21st day of

Oct. 1917.

O. H. BEIGH.

Poundkeeper.

Donald McKay,  
General Blacksmith

We Guarantee Satisfaction

Shed—Opposite the Oyen  
Feed Stable

Oyen - - Alta.

## Scales Weekly Items

Ed Booth spent Sunday in Sil-

bald.

Ed Shaw and family spent

Sunday with Mr and Mrs A

Kraus of Merid Sask.

Miss Ewing spent Sunday

with Mr and Mrs Wm Hutchin-

son.

The Sterling Elevator Com-

pany are erecting new coal sheds

here.

Help to Finish the War. Buy

Victory Bonds.

Everyone is looking forward to

the concert and dance which

will be held in the Benton Val-

ley school house on Nov. 30; pro-

ceeds to Red Cross.

Wm. Evans and E.M. Miller

motored to Silbald last Sunday.

Victory is the only road to

Peace and Safety—Buy Victory

Bonds.

Save your money and buy a

Victory Loan Bond.

They, who contemplate send-

ing live fowl away, will do well

by seeing the Oyen station ag-

ent. He will explain how the

coops should be made so that

they conform with the railway

regulations.

Carlson & Mortimer  
DRAYING AND CARTING. Charges Reasonable  
OYEN, ALTA.

## Announcement

I beg to inform the people of Oyen and district that I have opened a

## BLACKSMITH SHOP

Next to the Alberta Livery Barn

Your Business Solicited

Gust Click

Oyen, : ; ; Alberta

What Will Canada's  
Answer Be?

OVER in the sodden trenches amid the bursting shells and the roar of artillery where Canada's boys are fighting and dying.

—they are waiting for Canada's answer when the sale of Victory Bonds begins.

CANADA'S soldiers expect that we at home will put up the millions they need to keep on fighting.

—the millions they must have to win Victory for freedom, home and Canada.

What answer will Canada make?

What answer will you make?

Shall it be said that Canada spares not her sons from the sacrifice of battle, yet withholds her dollars to give them victory?

Rather will it be said that Canada alone more, for the fourth time in three years, cheerfully puts up her millions upon millions for the cause of freedom, righteousness and justice.

Canada's answer must be,

—that the Canadian hand to the plow of Victory holds steadfast and firm.

—that Canada's in deadly earnest when she says the "last man and the last dollar."

That is the answer Canada will give to our boys in the trenches, our kinsmen in Britain, and our Allies everywhere.

That is the answer we will give to the Huns who thought and said that Canada would desert the Empire before she would fight or pay.

Every bond you buy is an answer. Let the millions of answers from Canada's loyal men and women make a chorus of Victory to ring around the world.

Canada's Victory Loan Campaign  
opens on Monday, November 12"Canada's Victory Loan  
All About It"

is the title of a pamphlet that should be in the hands of every man and woman in the country.

Mail this coupon at once and get your copy

Chairman, Southern Alberta Committee, Canada's Victory Loan, Calgary, Alta.

Kindly send me a copy of pamphlet entitled:— "Canada's Victory Loan, All About It."

Name.....

Street or R.R. ....

P.O. ....

Prov. ....

Issued by Canada's Victory Loan Committee in co-operation with the Minister of Finance of the Dominion of Canada.

Established



1855

Paid-up Capital \$5,000,000  
Total Assets OverReserve Fund \$4,000,000  
\$72,000,000

# THE BANK OF TORONTO

## A REMINDER

Every dollar saved and deposited with us not only assists in winning the war, but provides a Reserve Fund for possible contingencies. Have you a saving's account? If not, open one to-day. Interest allowed at current rates.

Oyen Branch

B. E. KELLY,

Manager.

## Oyen Harness and Shoe Store

Now is the season for

### Horse Blankets

Robes, Lined Mitts, Gloves  
and Pullovers, Overshoes  
and Rubbers

We have a good assortment.

Harness, Shoe Repairs and special orders  
receive prompt attention.

Thos. Thompson,

The Harness Boot and Shoe Store

OYEN,

Alberta

## Oyen Meat Market



We can give you the best  
Fresh Meat

Also the best Brands in  
Smoked Meats

Fresh Fish every Thursday and  
Friday

Meat Kept on Ice

Couper & Holloway  
Proprietors

OYEN,

ALTA.

## The Delco-Light

Mr. FARMER—

Why not have your farm house and buildings installed with electric light. We have the agency for the Delco-Light and a demonstrating plant is in our work shop. Come in and we will explain it to you.

## RED SENTRY GARAGE

W. MARSHALL, Prop.

## PROFESSIONAL CARDS

Robt R. Paul, M.D.C.M.

Physician and Surgeon

Post-Graduate Metropolitan Hospital,

New York City.

Recently returned from serving with

Royal Army Medical Corps, in

the present war.

Office and Residence—House formerly

occupied by P. H. Peterson

OYEN, ALTA.

John P. Kerr

Veterinary Surgeon

Graduate of Ontario

Veterinary College.

Main St. Oyen, Alta

F. C. McClean

Barrister, Solicitor,

Notary Public

Agent for Holland-Canada Mortgage

Co. and Netherlands Transatlantic

Mortgage Company

Oyen Alberta

J. J. Kelly, L. L. B.

Barrister, Solicitor and

Notary Public

Money to Loan

Oyen, Alberta

Doctor Lackner

Dentist

Graduate of Toronto and Phil-

adelphia Colleges

Dr. Lackner, dentist, will open

his office here for the first

twenty-four days of each month

after September first.

W. M. ROBBE,

Licensed Auctioneer

Terms and date can be had on applica-

tion by calling at the Oyen News

Office or writing to Merryland.

Merryland, Alta.

W. OSTRANDER,

Paper Hanger and Painter

Yours Respectfully,

Oyen, Alta.

Edward Shaw

Experienced

Auctioneer and Valuer

License for Alberta and Saskatchewan

Benton, Alberta.

Sacred Heart Church.

Regular services will be held

First and third Sunday in each

month at 10:30 a.m.

Rev. W. F. Bowen.

OYEN METHODIST CHURCH

Next Sunday

Prancing Service 7:30 p.m.

Sunday School 2:30 p.m.

Bays 11 a.m.

Benton School 3:00 p.m.

Rev. S. D. Webster, Pastor

## They Are off!

Last Monday the committee appointed to secure subscription to the Canadian War Loan started their campaign. Already encouraging reports are coming in from all parts of the district and that the canvassers are quite optimistic as to the results. Everybody is going to take a bond. The committee are out on the trail of every person in the district and it is their intention to help each one to take this opportunity of doing his "bit" in helping along this War Loan; the committee want to raise \$75,000 from this district, and the success they are already meeting with has raised their hopes and ambitions to double that amount.

## Win-The-War Meeting

A meeting of Liberals and Conservatives held last Wednesday night, when a fine crowd attended. Mr. J. W. Robinson was appointed chairman, and, in opening, said that it was very hard for a lifelong Liberal to break with his party, but at this critical period of the nation, all crisis he thought that partyism should be dropped.

After calling on several local men, who voiced their sentiments on the urgent need of a National Government, the following resolution was unanimously passed.

That we are in favor of a national government and that such an organization should be composed of representatives of all political parties, of labor and of agriculture.

That we will not support any candidate or party that does not actively support the Military Service Act, or does not use every available means to successfully prosecute.

We, the citizens of Oyen and district in a meeting here assembled, hereby resolve.

That we are in favor of and pledge our support to the Military Service Act as recently passed by Parliament of Canada.

## The Care of Swine

On account of the high value of concentrated foods suitable for swine feeding, it is important that the foods that are used be so combined as to produce the maximum of results. The question of housing also enters largely into the profitable production of pork. To encourage farmers to raise as many hogs as possible, and to make the most money therefrom, the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, has issued Pamphlet No. 22 on the "Feeding and Housing of Swine." This pamphlet may be obtained free at the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Doals also with the questions of breeding and care of the animals at different ages and at different seasons of the year. This pamphlet is prepared by Professor L. F. Day, in charge of the Bacon Production Campaign, Dominion Department of Agriculture, Mr. E. S. Archibald, Dominion Animal Husbandman and his Assistant, Mr. G. B. Rothwell.

Mr. Archibald, after much experimental work, lays down the principle that an expensive piggery is unnecessary. Good sows may be kept under most circumstances, even in the winter season in a single-board hog cabin. This pamphlet gives specifications and plans, not only of a large piggery, but of a cheap and portable cabin.

Thos. Lees spent a few days in Calgary last week.

Thos. Lees sold his residence to Harry Braun last week. Mr. Lees and family will reside in Calgary this winter.

The following selected quarters, most of which are in this immediate district are for sale on exceptionally easy terms:

SE 10-37-14 W 1/4	SW 25-4 W 1/4	SE 10-32-14 W 1/4
SE 10-37-14 W 1/4	NW 32-25-5 W 1/4	NW 10-26-14 W 1/4
SE 10-37-14 W 1/4	NW 32-25-5 W 1/4	NW 10-26-14 W 1/4
SE 10-37-14 W 1/4	SE 10-32-14 W 1/4	SE 10-32-14 W 1/4
NW 17-32-14 W 1/4	SE 10-32-14 W 1/4	SE 10-32-14 W 1/4
SE 10-32-14 W 1/4	SE 10-32-14 W 1/4	SE 10-32-14 W 1/4

For prices and terms apply to

J. Howard Alexander

Oyen,

Alberta

## Oil Pull Means This



FUEL at one-half the price means lower operating costs, smaller upkeep expenses and bigger profits.

Bear in mind that, the Oil Pull is the only tractor that will successfully burn kerosene and cheaper oil fuels at all loads, under all conditions—all the time.

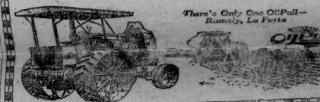
The Oil Pull, through deep plowing and thorough soil working, is increasing crops for a great many Dale owners—in some cases doubling them. Farming increases, the Oil Pull adds this increase to your bank account at the lower possible cost.

A more dependable tractor than the Oil Pull can't be bought and you will find it able to take care of all your power jobs, whether draw-bar or belt. Two sizes, 15-30 and 30-60 horsepower.

Gullekson Bros.,

Sole Agents,

Oyen and Excel.



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The best and the safest investment today is to purchase—

## Victory Bonds

The next best is to buy choice Alberta Farm Lands, close to—

OYEN

The Biggest Little Town on the Goose Lake Line  
—Some real snags are listed with—

Swenson &amp; Lees

Office next door to Harness Shop.

Buy Liberty Bonds  
and coal and lumber at

Beaver Lumber Company

H. Hancock,

Manager.

"Your Lumberman"







**Tires! Tires! Tires!****DON'T PATCH THEM****Get More****MILEAGE****By having them  
VULCANIZED**

By so doing you will save money. That small cut in the casing will pick up enough dirt and moisture in a few days to almost ruin your tire. Also you will have the satisfaction that the work is guaranteed.

**Always at Your Service****Briggs Tire Repair Co.****BANK OF HAMILTON***Established 1872*

Capital (Authorized) \$5,000,000  
Capital Paid-up \$3,000,000  
Surplus \$3,500,000

**Send your Boy at the Front  
a Five Franc Note for \$1.00**

Can be used to buy little comforts  
close behind the Fighting Lines.

**For Sale By**

**BANK OF HAMILTON  
OYEN BRANCH  
G. J. Gibson, Manager**

**For the BEST Meals****Try****The OYEN CAFE****Are You Interested in Tractors?**

There are now several of the famous 10-20 Titan Kerosene Tractors working in the Oyen District. The only way to judge a Tractor is to see it working.

Any time you have an hour or two to spare when in town, call at my office and it will be a pleasure to take you out to see these machines in actual operation.

**C. A. GILDERS,**

Agent for the Titan 10-20, 15-30, and 30-40  
Kerosene Tractors, C. C. Snowden's Oils.

**Agent****Oyen, Alberta****The Oyen Billiard Hall**

We have one of the best and most  
up-to-date Billiard Halls in the west.

We carry at all times a large and well assorted  
stock of Tobaccos, Cigars, Cigarettes, Candies, etc.,  
and serve all kinds of Soft drinks.

**Chas. A. Wilson . . . . . Proprietor****SUBSCRIBE TO THE OYEN NEWS****NEW YORK CAFE**

We have just opened for business our up-  
to-date Restaurant and Boarding House on  
Main street. The New York Cafe  
will serve good meals at all hours of the  
day at moderate prices. We also have  
several rooms to rent.

**LAUNDRY IN CONNECTION****WONG KEE, Prop.****Local Items****Every miser helps the Kaiser**

We have for sale one 5 h.p. and one 2 1/2 h.p. gasoline engine.  
—Peterson Motor Company.

**Born**—To Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Caswell of Sibbald, on Thursday, Nov. 8th, a daughter.

A dance will be given in the Green Monnd Hall on Tuesday, Nov. 20th. Everybody welcome.

Messrs. J. W. and F. Crockett, M. McDonald and W. C. Hoskins spent the weekend in Calgary. They made the trip in the latter's McLaughlin car.

See that Victory Bonds are in every home. Have you bought yours?

If you can't go across—come across, Buy Victory Bonds.

Now is your chance to help win the war. Buy a Victory Loan Bond.

Mrs. Sid Abar arrived last Thursday, from Sudbidge, Ont., where she has been spending the last six months.

Dan, McQuarrie and family left on Tuesday for Nutana, Sask. Mr. McQuarrie has rented his farm near Excel, and will reside on a farm near Nutana which he has purchased.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Perry left on Monday for Calgary where they will reside.

If you can't enlist—Invest! Buy Victory Bonds.

A win-the-war meeting will hold in the Springburn School house on Friday, Nov. 16th, at 8:30 p.m. Several speakers from Oyen will be present, and a large crowd is anticipated.

Construction work has not been commenced on the new curling rink. Should the weather hold good for the next two weeks the rink will almost be completed.

**Born**—To Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gilders, a daughter on November 12th.

J. Howard Alexander was the first member of the Victory Loan committee to sell a bond in this district. The first bond was bought by Sgt. W. E. Fyfe of Benton, and the second \$100 bond was sold to George Devaux, Benton.

Make your money fight—Buy Victory Bonds.

**Born**—a daughter on November 4, to Mr. and Mrs. Hayes, of Cereal, at the Moffet hospital, Alask.

M. A. Dixon, who was employed here as telegraph operator, and succeeded in getting in the cadet division of the Imperial Royal Flying Corps. He will train for four or five months and when he graduates, he will be given a commission as second lieutenant in the Imperial forces.

Art Munson was in Alask on Monday.

George Pfoiffer of Alask, is in town.

W. J. Switzer, the well known piano tuner and player piano expert will be in Oyen in about two weeks. Any persons wishing their piano or player piano properly tuned and regulated will likely leave orders with J. W. Robinson, Oyen. It is said that Mr. Switzer is a first-class man, having over twenty years experience and has served with some of the best factories in Canada and United States. He has creditably to him these statements: Gerhard Heilmann and Gouley Winter and Leeming patrons, should be specially interested, as he is under contract to these firms to look after their work. All guaranteed.

For extracting teeth without pain, take somniferin gas, quick and harmless. See Dr. Taylor, Alask.

**Attention Mr. Farmer**

You are no doubt aware that arrangements have been made to thoroughly organize the Dominion of Canada for the purpose of soliciting subscriptions to "Canada's Victory Loan 1917".

Below we give you a few facts which is vital to the welfare of Canada and to every Man in the Country.

1. Great Britain has only sufficient Capital to finance her own requirements and the needs of the Great War.

2. Great Britain purchases approximately 70 per cent of the Wheat and Live Stock Canada has to export.

3. Canada MUST give Great Britain every Bushel of Wheat, and every Pound of Meat and Cheese she requires on Credit, and unless Canada extends this Credit, it is absolutely impossible to sell our Produce.

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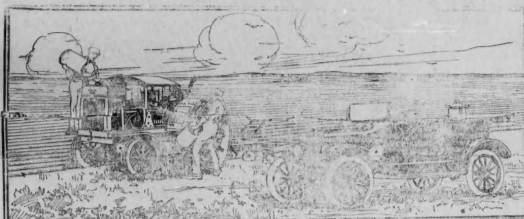
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You buy a Bond as low as \$50.00 and as high as you like. You should put every **DOLLAR** you can spare into this Loan.

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